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SUBJ: EC EXTERNAL FISHERY ISSUES

REFS: (A) STOCKHOLM 2024; (B) BRUSSELS 8248; (C)
LONDON 7550 (NOTAL)

1. EC COMMISSION FISHERY OFFICIAL MARCUSSEN CONFIRMED
TO MISSION OFFICER MAY 24 THAT COMMUNITY HAS OBTAINED
FROM SWEDISH GOVERNMENT A DELAY UNTIL JULY 1 IN
IMPLEMENTATION OF REDUCTION OF DANISH AND WEST GERMAN
FISHING ACTIVITY IN SWEDISH 200-MILE ZONE (REF A).
MARCUSSEN ALSO INDICATED THAT EC COUNCIL IS EXPECTED
NEXT WEEK TO APPROVE EXTENSION UNTIL JULY 1 OF RE-
GULATIONS ON THIRD COUNTRY FISHING IN EC ZONE (REF B),
TO ALLOW OVERALL DISCUSSION OF EXTERNAL FISHING ISSUES
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BY EC FISHERY COUNCIL, TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 19
OR 20.

2. MARCUSSEN SAID HE KNEW OF NO DANISH PLANS TO SEEK
UNILATERAL ARRANGEMENTS WITH THIRD COUNTRIES (REF C),
POINTING OUT THAT SUCH ARRANGEMENTS WOULD VIOLATE
COMMUNITY'S COMMON FISHERY POLICY AND WOULD ALMOST

CERTAINLY BE OVERTURNED BY EC COURT OF JUSTICE.

3. MISSION COMMENT: WE ARE UNAWARE OF ANY EXISTING
FISHING AGREEMENTS BETWEEN DENMARK AND EITHER NORWAY
OR SWEDEN (PARA 3, REF C). THE COMMUNITY ITSELF HAS
ALREADY NEGOTIATED AGREEMENTS WITH BOTH THOSE COUNTRIES,
SUBJECT TO RATIFICATION (REF B). HINTON

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